

## CDH2

**Reactivity:**Human Mouse Rat

**Tested applications:**WB IHC

**Recommended Dilution:**WB 1:500 - 1:1000 IHC 1:50 - 1:100

**Calculated MW:**100kDa

**Observed MW:**Refer to Figures

**Immunogen:**

Recombinant Protein of human CDH2

**Storage Buffer:**

Store at -20. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles. Buffer: PBS with 0.02% sodium azide, 50% glycerol, pH7.3.

**Concentration:**

1mg/ml

**Synonym:**

CDH2;CD325 ;CDHN ;CDw325; NCAD;Cadherin-2;CDw325 ;Neural cadherin ;

**Catalog #:**A0432

**Antibody Type:**

Polyclonal Antibody

**Species:**Rabbit

**Gene ID:**1000

**Isotype:**IgG

**Swiss Prot:**P19022

**Purity:**Affinity purification

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**Background:**

, R-, B- and E-cadherins, as well as about ten other members that are found in adherens junctions, a cellular structure near the apical surface of polarized epithelial cells. The cytoplasmic domain of classical cadherins interacts with -catenin, -catenin (also called plakoglobin), and p120 catenin. -catenin and -catenin associate with -catenin, which links the cadherin-catenin complex to the actin cytoskeleton (1,2). While - and -catenin play structural roles in the junctional complex, p120 regulates cadherin adhesive activity and trafficking (1-4). E-cadherin is considered an active suppressor of invasion and growth of many epithelial cancers (1-3). Recent studies indicate that cancer cells have up-regulated N-cadherin in addition to loss of E-cadherin. This change in cadherin expression is called the "cadherin switch". N-cadherin cooperates with the FGF receptor, leading to overexpression of MMP-9 and cellular invasion (3). In endothelial cells, VE-cadherin signaling, expression, and localization correlate with vascular permeability and tumor angiogenesis (5,6). Expression of P-cadherin, which is normally present in epithelial cells, is also altered in ovarian and other human cancers (7,8).

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